



## Message from Mr Maltby

18<sup>th</sup> December 2020

Good morning,

As you may be aware, the government made a significant decision yesterday regarding the start of next term. I intend to write in detail later today about the school's response to this latest communication. This will include arrangements for Year 11 students, who will continue to have their mock exams when they return to school, and further details of remote learning which will take place for all other year groups; other than those who will continue to be eligible to continue to come to school as normal from the start of term. The SEN team is contacting the families of all students with an EHCP today to discuss the start of term, alongside families of those students who we also have identified as requiring to continue to come into school as normal at the start of term.

To support the school further, if you are a key worker and will need your son / daughter to continue to come into school from 4th January, please can you contact the school today if possible. This can be done by phone or email using the following email address: **[parents@holbrookacademy.org](mailto:parents@holbrookacademy.org)**

Despite these significant changes coming at the very end of term, we are working hard to provide clear and concise information to students, parents and carers and I look forward to sending a further communication by the end of the school day.

Tom Maltby  
Headteacher